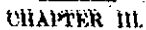


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## The Mercury

JOHN F. SANBORN, Editor and Proprietor.

Saturday, January 25, 1902.

A unanimous report by the Senate.

Commission on the Panama Canal.

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over and at Weymouth River. The proposed line crosses the falls at 11 places, but it is proposed to avoid five of these by deflecting the tracks and two already have drawbridges. It also crosses 45 highways, but a number of these can be avoided by deflecting the canal a little. Twenty drawbridges will be required across the canal and turning basins at Brockton, Taunton and Hallowell. There will be 600 feet in width.

## One Cent Letter Postage.

Two subjects of importance that are to have recognition during the current session of Congress relate to the postal service. One has to do with a reduction of domestic letter postage from two cents to one cent, the other with the Government ownership and operation of telegraph lines. The first proposition is entitled to serious consideration at the hands of national lawmakers and is likely to have it. The second proposition, which appears to emanate chiefly from Senator "Billy" Mason of Illinois, is not destined to command, and at this time at least, hardly deserves the protracted attention of Congress.

Whether under any circumstances or at any time a Government ownership of telegraph lines shall be desirable, or otherwise than objectionable, is a question for much serious argument. That the line must somewhere be drawn between the public and private ownership of purely commercial enterprises admits of no serious doubt. Should the Government acquire and operate universal telegraph lines, there would follow logical extension in favor of its operation of steamship lines, of Government railroads and all the rest; and in any case there appears no present doubt that Senator Mason's ambitious scheme of a national telegraph service must wait.

As to the plan that is quite certain to be urged by Henry C. Payne, the incoming Postmaster-General, in favor of an early reduction of domestic letter postage from two cents to one cent, there are good reasons favorable to such change.

For many years the operation of the Postoffice Department has shown somewhat appalling annual deficits which only four years ago, for 1897, amounted to \$11,401,770. Through wise and economical administration of the department and by reason of the growing volume of postoffice business, this deficit has been steadily reduced, until for the last fiscal year it aggregated \$3,923,727. There seems to be little doubt, were the work of the Postoffice Department to continue on present lines, that this annual postal deficit would within two or three years be finally wiped out.

But as long as the people at large get the benefit in the shape of cheap postage the deficit does not so much matter.

The newspapers of the state just now are busy copying from the Newport tax book long lists of our large personal property tax payers and calling them rich New Yorkers, trying to dodge New York taxes by being taxed in Newport. They have men and women on the list who never had any other residence than Newport, and others who have lived here from almost childhood. If they happen to be big taxpayers the papers take it for granted that they must have come here from somewhere to escape something in the way of taxes.

The new Boston line of steamers to the West Indies, South America and Central America is taking shape, and already the arrangements for building of two of the steamers at Bath are announced. The concern is the United States Steamship Company, and the president is A. N. White of Pawtucket, R. I. The company will have 10 steamers built, and the present intention is to name the boats after Presidents of the United States. The Bath Iron Works will build two steamers, at an approximate cost of \$1,000,000.

Rev. and Mrs. Edward Dardington Johnson, who were recently married in Washington, are spending their honeymoon here in Newport, at the Engle cottage on Kay street. Mrs. Johnson is a daughter of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Royal B. Bradford and a granddaughter of Mrs. Samuel Engle.

Rev. James A. Curran of St. Mary's Parish, Fall River, was the speaker at the smoke talk in Hazard Memorial Hall Sunday evening under the auspices of the Holy Name Society. Father Curran described in interesting manner the good work being done by the Holy Name societies.

The work of cutting ice on all the ponds was suspended on Wednesday when the warm spell struck in. Little ice has been gathered thus far but the companies are still hopeful.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt will summer next season at one of the Pinedale Cottages on Annandale road and Narragansett avenue.

The Danish government agrees to sell its West Indian possessions to the United States. The treaty will be signed in a few days.

The annual meeting and election of officers of St. Paul's Lodge No. 14, A. F. & A. M., takes place this evening.

Miss Sarah Crocker celebrated her eighty-fifth birthday at her home on Prospect Hill street.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Kaull have returned from a visit to Edgewood, R. I.

Mr. Howard Manchester of Bristol was in town yesterday.

## The Prince's Visit.

The plans for the travel of Prince Henry while in this country contemplate taking the distinguished visitor as far South as Chattanooga, as far West as St. Louis and as far North as Milwaukee on one side and Boston on the other. The Prince will arrive in New York on Saturday, and will quietly spend his first Sunday in America in that city, paying a visit to Grant's tomb in Riverside Park. He will leave after midnight, arriving in Washington about half-past 10 o'clock on Monday morning. He will be met at the station by a military guard made up of a squadron of cavalry and a battery of artillery, both from Fort Meyer. With this escort he will proceed to the German Embassy, and a force of engineers from the Washington barracks will be detailed as a special guard of honor to watch the embassy day and night as long as the Prince remains here. The second Sunday will probably be spent at Chattanooga, and a visit will be paid to the great National Park at Chickamauga. The third and last Sunday of the Prince's stay in America will be spent in New York, where he will rest and perhaps visit some of the German social organizations. In this way the committee has obviated the necessity of his traveling on Sunday.

The General Assembly has not accomplished its large volume of business this week, but the Newport police commission has been before that body on several occasions. A bill was passed by the House making the term of office of each member of the Newport police commission three years instead of six, the vote standing 45 to 18. Mr. Brown of Newport spoke against the principle of the police commission. On Wednesday Mr. Clarke of this city presented a bill repealing the Newport police commission act, which was referred to the committee on Judiciary after an effort to order public hearings in the city of Newport had been defeated. When the annual report was presented on Thursday there was some talk about the commission. Yesterday the Senate concurred in the three year amendment.

## Weather Bulletin.

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St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 25.—Last bulletin gave forecasts of disturbances to cross continent January 20 to February 3, warm wave 20 to February 1, cool wave 31 to February 4.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about February 4, cross west of Rockies by close of 6, great central valley by close of 8, eastern states 11.

Warm wave will cross west of Rockies about February 6, great central valley 7, eastern states 8. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about February 7, great central valley 8, eastern states 11.

Temperature of the week ending February 11 will average below and rainfall above normal.

About date of this bulletin a cool wave will be approaching from the northwest, warm in Ohio valley and eastern states, cool in the Dakotas.

Special feature of the weather will be a high temperature wave January 25 or 26 followed by rains turning to snow in northern states, then a cold wave by 23 and a hard freeze by 30. This will be one of the worst spells of weather the winter will afford.

February promises to open and close with cold weather, all the middle part of the month warm and dry, too dry for winter wheat and not enough rain to prepare the soil for spring crops.

The very cold weather last days of January will be followed by fluctuating, rising temperatures and by February 10 a great warm wave will have enveloped the continent, much warmer than is usual for this month.

A very severe cold wave is in prospect for last week in February and it will reach most parts of the continent with it will come moderate rains south, light rains and snow north.

The cool wave of January 13 was precisely on time and the weather fit my forecasts perfectly. The cold wave of 20 to 25 was predicted to be much more sudden and severe than the one referred to above. Looks a little like the blizzard type.

## Portsmouth.

Diphtheria is prevalent on the island. Miss Ethel Carter is suffering from a sore foot, caused by her stepping on a rusty nail, which entered her foot.

The masquerade ball by Oakland Lodge No. 32, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will take place at Oakland Hall next Wednesday evening. The Harry K. Howard orchestra will furnish the music.

## Real Estate Sales and Rentals

C. H. Wrightington has sold for Mrs. Elizabeth Adams her dwelling house and about 3,500 feet of land bounded as follows: Northerly on land of late Geo. H. Norman; easterly on land of the late Geo. Sherman; southerly on land of Harley W. Pray and westerly on Spring street.

Delbols & Eldridge have sub-leased for the Hygeia Distilled Water Co., of New York, the store formerly occupied by them on the north east corner of Bellevue avenue and Bath road to the Newport Trust Co., who will establish a Bellevue avenue branch bank for the convenience of their summer as well as regular depositors living in this section of Newport.

A. O'D. Taylor has rented for Mrs. James H. Deniston and others, the store No. 8, in Abrahams Block, Bellevue avenue to Miss. Mostelli, of New York for the summer of 1902.

A. O'D. Taylor has sold for Miss Sarah O'Donnell the cottage and lot situated at No. 2, Merton Road to Mr. and Mrs. John Leahy. The property is bounded northerly by land of James Corigan; easterly by estate of James Guernsey; southerly on Merton road, and westerly by further land of John Leahy.

A. O'D. Taylor has rented for Mrs. James H. Deniston and others the store at No. 4, Abrahams Block, Bellevue avenue, to Miss L. Thurn, of New York, for the summer of 1902.

## Block Island.

Mr. May A. Hall, proprietor of the Eureka Hotel here, has taken a lease of "The Allen" in Providence and will hereafter manage that house as well as the Block Island property. The lease begins the first of March next. The Allen is one of the most popular family houses in Providence. It was opened a number of years ago by the well known Captain Allen of the Boston steamer, and soon became popular. Since Captain Allen's death, Mr. Allen has managed the property. The Allen is located on Green street near the public library. Before Mr. Hall took the house it was thoroughly renovated, remodeled, papered, painted and carpeted, and will be equipped with new furniture. An improved system of electric bells will be installed. Mr. Hall, wife of the proprietor, who has always been exceedingly popular with the guests at the Eureka, will have entire charge of the office.

Mr. Hall is an excellent example of a self-made man. He began his hotel life at the early age of 14 years as a bell boy at \$5 per month, and since that time has continued in the business in different parts of the country. He has been employed in the old St. James at Jacksonville, has been a table waiter at the Fifth Avenue Hotel in New York, and also in the Statton Hotel in London. He was for several winters steward at the Hamilton in Washington and occupied a similar position in the Quincey House, London. Fourteen years ago he started in business for himself without other capital than his own experience and industry. Since that time he has built the Eureka Hotel and has enlarged and improved it until it has become one of the most popular of the moderate priced houses on the island. It has accommodations for 160 people.

Mr. Hall is nephew of the late Hon. Nicholas Hall. His many friends here and elsewhere wish him every success in his new venture.

## Midnight Marriage.

George Rieh, aged 25 years, a native of Maine, and mate on the barge Palma Donna, which is at Wickford discharging coal, was on Sunday evening, the 20th inst., married Miss Hattie Freeman, also of 25 summers, who resides on the Post road, near Wickford. The man from Maine became infatuated with the girl of Wickford and, not knowing anything in regard to the marriage laws of these plantations, induced Miss Freeman to trust herself to him and to pass her time away on the barge, promising that when the first ice was melted in which he was known, he would have the nuptial knot tied.

The fact that the girl had taken up her residence aboard the barge having become known, some of the authorities interviewed the captain of the barge Wednesday in regard to the subject, and the latter said that the mate was willing to marry Miss Freeman on land. Town Clerk Thomas L. Pierce was called out of bed to go to the Town House and issue a license, and, there being no other place convenient, it was decided to hold the ceremony at this office.

Accordingly Rev. F. B. Cole, rector of St. Paul's Church, was also invited from his chambers and repaired to the Town House, where he found a number of the townspeople assembled and the couple were duly married. They are now passing their honeymoon aboard the barge. Mr. Rieh will sail away with her husband when the barge leaves Wickford in a few days.

## THE CITY OF NEWPORT.

An Ordinance in amendment of "An Ordinance in amendment of and in addition to Section 11 of Chapter 16 of "An ordinance revising the ordinances of the City of Newport."

It is ordained by the City Council of the City of Newport, as follows:

Section 1. That portion of Section 14, of said Chapter 16, amended by Ordinance passed January 22, 1891, February 5, 1893, and March 4, 1895, be hereby amended by striking out the words "sixty dollars per month" and inserting the words "thirty dollars and twenty cents per month" in place thereof.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Attest: December 31, 1901.

A True and Correct Copy.

WILLIAM G. STEVENS, City Clerk.

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ADVOCATES OF PANAMA

Not Alarmed by Hints of Nicaragua's Friends

AS TO LEASE OF TERRITORY

Belief That Proper Assurance Has Been Given by Colombian Minister—No Reason to Expect Postponement of Canal Legislation

Washington, Jan. 23.—The Nicaragua route advocates are hinting that the Colombia government is not willing to make a perpetual lease of the strip of territory through which the isthmian canal must pass. The suggestion does not carry any great alarm with it. The Walker commission had no authority to conduct diplomatic negotiations with the Colombian government or any other, and hence was very careful in its latest report to hinge everything upon the question of our being able to make with Colombia an advantageous agreement about the right of way and has been offered us by Nicaragua and Costa Rica. This meant a perpetual lease, at a price or rental not extensible.

There is no doubt that Dr. Silva has permitted his administration to know, without putting the matter into formal shape, where his government stands on the pending question. Another thing which points in the same direction is the fact that he is aware that, unless we can get from Colombia the terms which our advocates consider essential, no legislation will get through and Colombia and the Panama company will have gone through all their recent contortions in vain. This consideration is not likely to be lost upon his home government through any neglect or indifference on Dr. Silva's part.

Why everybody should have jumped to the conclusion that the reversal of the isthmian canal recommendation necessarily meant that there would be no canal legislation at the present session of congress is not easy to see. Of course the first effects of a square recommendation, signed by every member of the commission, in favor of the acceptance of the French offer were somewhat dazzling, after years of agitation in behalf of Nicaragua.

When the preliminary report of the present commission was made, little more than a year ago, it was currently remarked here that political expediency required a recommendation in behalf of Nicaragua to the Pacific coast. It was said, would lose confidence in the commission if it found for any other route. The report submitted to congress on Monday is thus the first recommendation of the Panama route from any official source in many years, and naturally it does not at once overcome the momentum of long agitation in behalf of the other line.

While it will take some time for congress to adjust itself to the new situation, there is little reason to believe that it will not do so. Senator Morgan's continued opposition to Panama will continue support for his cause rather than win it. The idea that the United States government should not buy the French properties because of the loss that would fall upon the French stockholders in selling out so cheap is a peculiar sort of altruism, in view of the fact that these same Frenchmen would lose about \$30,000,000 in case we decline to do so. His fears concerning legal complications are about as groundless. Who is going to make the United States government pay these claims which he believes will spring to existence from sources now undiscovered in case we complete the trade? The United States will be sworn judge of rights and equities then as now. Morgan's interjections thus really help the Panama project.

**Banks Don't Want Silver**  
Manila, Jan. 23.—A new phase of the currency question in the Philippine Islands has arisen from the refusal of the banks here to receive deposits in Mexican silver. The banks declare that there is no more room in their vaults for such deposits. The governmental authorities believe the action is taken with the object of forcing legislation on the whole currency question.

**Arnold Held Without Bail**  
Concord, Mass., Jan. 21.—A week's postponement was granted yesterday in the case of John W. Arnold of Hudson, who is charged with manslaughter in having caused the death of his son, George W. Arnold, at Maynard, week before last. Arnold pleaded not guilty and he was held without bail. He was taken to Cambridge jail at the conclusion of the hearing.

**Williams' New President**  
Williamstown, Mass., Jan. 20.—Dr. Henry Hopkins, who was elected president of Williams college, has accepted, and will soon leave Kansas City to take up the duties of his position. Dr. Hopkins is a son of Mark Hopkins, former president of the college. He has been pastor of the First Congregational church in Kansas City for the past 22 years.

**Disbelievers in Bible's Infallibility**  
Chicago, Jan. 21.—Trustees of the Northwestern university will meet to consider the case of Dr. Charles W. Pearson, professor of English literature in the university, who has openly expressed his disbelief in the infallibility of the bible.

**War Fires Smouldering**  
Colon, Jan. 24.—The situation on the isthmus remains unchanged, although quiet prevails both here and at Panama. The resumption of hostilities between the government forces and the Colombian Liberals is expected at any moment.

**Harvard Debaters Won**  
Providence, Jan. 21.—Brown and Harvard universities met in debate last evening and the judges decided that the Cambridge men had the better of the argument. The question for discussion was: "Resolved, That the war in South Africa should receive the full support of parliament and the people." Brown had the affirmative and Harvard the negative.

UNDER POLICE ESCORT

Non-Union Teamsters Are Doing Business at Boston

MOB MADE MATTERS LIVELY

One Driver Stuck to Team While His Skull Was Fractured, Though He Did Not Know It—Fruitless Conferences With Mayor and Others

Boston, Jan. 24.—The fourth day of the teamsters' strike passed without any serious disturbances, although they were only prevented by the presence at vulnerable points of an overwhelming force of police. The teams of the H. B. Brine Transportation company were kept moving throughout the day only under strong guard, and at times it was very evident that the feelings of the union drivers and the mob toward the company and its non-union drivers were as bitter as ever and that only a slight relaxation of police vigilance was necessary to being about scenes of violence.

As yet, there is no sign of weakening upon either side, and the conferences that took place during the day, at which, by the way, the H. B. Brine Transportation company was not represented, accomplished little in the direction of a settlement.

A committee of the Teamsters' union and Allied Freight Transportation Trades council waited upon Mayor Collins at city hall and during the conference the mayor was asked if the city should be called upon to pay the expenses of maintaining a police guard for the Brine company's teams, to which the mayor replied that he did not believe the city was liable for such expense, but he should withhold his decision until the bill came before him for his approval. Further complaint was made that the police force was being used to load and unload Brine's teams at the Consolidated railroad freight houses and the mayor promised to give this matter his attention.

The committee then visited the state house, where it met the members of the state board of arbitration and a committee of the Master Teamsters' association, and the situation was discussed in all its details, without any formal action being taken.

The committee then paid Mayor Collins another visit, which lasted nearly two hours, but what transpired at the meeting was not made public. Another conference will be held at the state house today. After the second conference yesterday Mayor Collins said that progress was being made. He said: "We are in constant communication with the board of arbitration and others, and I am hopeful that the combined efforts of the public spirited citizens will result satisfactorily."

The first indication of possible trouble yesterday was manifested at the corner of State and Congress streets, where one of the Brine company's teams had been poked by drivers of other teams. A large crowd gathered and did all they could to prevent the raising of the blockade. Finally one of their number, John E. Mackey, sprang to the head of one of the Brine horses and grabbed it by the bridle. Mackey was immediately seized by two police inspectors and he was hustled off to the station house. The crowd surged around the officers and their prisoner in an effort to release the latter, but a number of other policemen came to their aid and the man was taken away.

During the remainder of the afternoon the Brine teams were kept moving under strong police escort and little violence was attempted toward them. Just before 6 o'clock, preceded by four outriders and a squad of 10 mounted policemen, seven of the Brine company's teams started from the company's office for their South Boston stable. Other officers walked beside and between the teams, the whole forming a formidable body guard. There was no attempt to interrupt the procession as it moved along, although a few missiles were thrown, and the crowd kept up a continual fusillade of yells and epithets. One of the drivers, Fred Caulfield, was struck on the head at this time, but although his skull was fractured as it proved later, he remained upon his team until it reached the stable. Scores of policemen lined the streets, keeping the crowds upon the sidewalks and preventing other teams from obstructing the progress of the Brine wagons.

At the Summer street bridge an immense crowd had congregated, but a large force of police held them in check and covered the passage of the wagon train. The officers, many of whom have been doing double duty for the past three or four days, were in no mood to be trifled with, and the crowd reluctantly realized the fact. There were but few exciting incidents along the route, but the drivers drew a long breath of relief when their teams were at last safely housed for the night.

**Schley's Appeal Before President**  
Washington, Jan. 22.—After a conference with his counsel yesterday Admiral Schley approved the appeal from the findings of the court of inquiry and it was delivered to the president. The appeal concludes with a lengthy argument in support of his contention that he has been unfairly dealt with.

**Razor Wielder Sentenced**  
Boston, Jan. 21.—At least six years in state prison as a sentence was given James H. McCloskey yesterday by Judge Fessenden for having cut his wife's throat with a razor. McCloskey pleaded that he was drunk at the time. The maximum of his sentence is 10 years.

**Uneasy Feeling in Cuba**  
Havana, Jan. 22.—The governor general's palace here is besieged with commissions from all parts of the island who are interested in the question of reciprocity. A critical period in Cuban affairs is approaching. Bankers have refused to advance Cuban planters more money in view of the present outlook for the sugar market. This action means the closing up of many plantations in a short while.

IN THE FORBIDDEN CITY

The Emperor Gives Audience to Foreign Ministers

FIRST TIME IN HISTORY

That Other Sovereigns Have Been Recognized as Equal in Rank to Ruler of China—Appeared Stupid and Did Not Utter a Word

Peking, Jan. 21.—The ministers of the foreign powers have attained the goal which has been their aim since intercourse between China and the powers began. They have been received as representatives of sovereigns equal in the rank to the Chinese emperor.

The audiences between the emperor and the ministers were held in the innermost hall of the Forbidden City. The emperor sat upon a dais behind a table. There were four princes at the back of his chair and a dozen officials on each side. The dower, emperor was concealed by a screen, according to the stories of the attendants, and remained invisible. The audience chamber was furnished comfortably, but in contrast with the dingy rooms which served for these audiences under the old regime.

The secretaries translated the addresses of the ministers, copies of which were handed to the emperor. The replies to these addresses were delivered by Prince Ching. The emperor was silent throughout the audience and remained stolid and impassive. Formerly the emperor replied to the ministers in Manchu and the prince interpreted what he said. Yesterday the emperor appeared as an automaton, and the secretaries of the foreign ministers who were present report that he looked weaker, less intellectual and more childish than prior to the siege of the legations.

Mr. Salow, the British representative, made the following address: "My august sovereign has charged me to express to your majesty his sincere desire to see the independence and the integrity of the Chinese empire maintained intact, and that the prosperity and happiness of the Chinese people may be hastened by the removal of obstacles to the free exchange of commodities, by the extension of manufactures and by the utilization of the resources of the soil."

"The wonderful improvements in the means of communication between different parts of the world, through the development of steam navigation, railways and telegraphs, has brought all countries into closer relations than was possible in former times. Thus the nations of the world are enabled to profit by the lessons to be learned from each other in the art of government, in methods of education, in the administration of justice and the application of the public wealth to the advantage of the whole people. If, under the enlightened rule of your majesty, the barriers which in the past hindered the free and mutually advantageous intercourse of China with the rest of the world be completely removed, and her domestic institutions wisely reformed, it is certain that China, advancing along the path of progress, will attain to a height of prosperity unknown in the past."

The ministers of the foreign powers entered the Forbidden City at the main gate, leaving their military escorts outside. At the second gate they entered yellow chairs, like those furnished for the princes and secretaries. They walked through the inner courts of the Forbidden City, and their cortege retired from the city by the east gate.

**Hapgood Will Recover**  
Worcester, Mass., Jan. 21.—Leon Hapgood, self-confessed murderer of Samuel Severens, the Rutland farmer, when arrested yesterday at the home of William Fitzpatrick in Holden, was found to be suffering from a self-inflicted bullet wound. He was brought to this city and successfully operated on at the city hospital. The bullet was removed and Hapgood is reported as out of danger.

**Money Ready For Brigands**  
Constantinople, Jan. 22.—It is ascertained that the money subscribed for the ransom of Miss Stone and Miss Tilkka has been forwarded to the Americans who have been negotiating with the brigands for the release of the two women. The whereabouts of the negotiators is withheld by the officials here.

**Cleveland on Hunting Trip**  
Princeton, N. J., Jan. 23.—Ex-President Cleveland left Princeton last night for the south, where he will remain several days. He will spend the time hunting with Colonel Benedict, Rear Admiral R. D. Evans, General McCook and Herman May. Mr. Cleveland appears to have regained his normal health.

**A Wave of Unionism**  
Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 20.—No less than five meetings of different branches of trade were held here yesterday to organize unions. These included the barbers, fish skinners, box makers, printers and freight handlers and teamsters. All voted to affiliate with the American Federation of Labor.

**Hohenzollern Heads Eastward**  
Gibraltar, Jan. 21.—The Imperial German yacht Hohenzollern arrived here yesterday. Admiral Count von Bandizian, her commander, landed. He was saluted by a land battery, visited the governor and later re-embarked and the Hohenzollern proceeded on her journey to New York.

**Says Miss Beaudry Was Insane**  
Manchester, N. H., Jan. 21.—Miss Jeanne Gagnon, who was shot and seriously wounded in the head on Jan. 11 by Annie Beaudry, who immediately afterwards fired a fatal shot into her own brain, was discharged from the hospital yesterday. In an interview Miss Gagnon declared that she believed that Miss Beaudry was clearly insane.

NEW ENGLAND BRIEFS

After writing letters to his mother and two other persons Harry Nutting of Boston, aged 28, shot himself and died two hours later.

The Brown University Athletic association has decided to accept the faculty eligibility rules as a part of the system of athletic management the coming year.

Cyrus B. Smith of Town Line was elected president of the Vermont Merino Sheep Breeders' association at its annual meeting at Middlebury.

Dr. George Spofford of Cavendish, Vt., lost his home and the barn on the place by fire. The total loss is about \$20,000. Scarcely anything in the buildings was saved.

The gift of \$12,500, to be paid in yearly installments of \$2500, to Williams college, has been announced. The donor's name is not given out.

While walking a railroad track at Boston Benjamin Robinson, 22, and Jacob Friedman, 22, were struck by an engine, both receiving multiple injuries. Friedman died soon afterward and Robinson's condition is serious.

Hon. James Farrington died at Rochester, N. H., at the age of 89 years. He was a practicing physician for over 60 years at that place, and widely known throughout the state.

Alexander Cameron, Jr., of Brooklyn, stroke of last year's eight, has accepted the proffered position of head coach of the Yale varsity crew.

Charles F. Lang was arrested at Portland, Me., on a charge of forging and uttering false agreements of subscriptions. The alleged forgeries so far as known amount to about \$200.

The Boston public library is to benefit by \$100,000 through a provision of the will of Robert O. Billings.

G. L. Jones & Co., soap manufacturers of Cambridge, Mass., have assigned. The firm is one of the oldest in its line of business in the country.

The mill of the Illinois Leather company used as a hair cleaning branch at Lynn, Mass., was burned. The loss is \$20,000. The leather company is a New Jersey concern.

James C. Van Benschoten, M. D., professor of Greek language and literature in Wesleyan university since 1883, died at Middletown, Conn., aged 74.

Harold A. Lufkin, 3 years old, died at Rockland, Me., as the result of poisoning from drinking medicine which his mother had been taking.

At a special meeting of the citizens of Barre, Vt., it was voted to purchase the rights of mill owners at East Barre and to go ahead and complete the Orange Brook extension of the city's water system.

St. Michael's Episcopal church, Naugatuck, Conn., has elected a call to Rev. W. H. Garth of Watford, N. H., to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late pastor, Rev. J. W. Eikon.

The joy which ushered in the formal observance of the 50th anniversary of the dedication of the South Congregational church at St. Johnsbury, Vt., was tempered by the announcement of the pastor, Rev. Dr. Fairbanks, that he would tender his resignation, to take effect July 15, after a pastorate of 28 years. The reason given was failing physical powers.

The saloon, divorce, anarchy, civil government and the negro question and many other subjects were treated by the various speakers at the meetings of the National Reform convention at Boston.

An exploding lamp wrought \$25,000 damage in the home of Kirby Page, a Boston business man. The fire was in the library, the contents practically being ruined.

A vigorous discussion of Christian Science from an unfavorable standpoint was the feature of the annual meeting at Concord, N. H., of the Center District Medical society.

The sum of \$1000 has been given to Yale university by Samuel A. Galpin of New Haven to establish an annual Latin prize in memory of his father, Samuel H. Galpin, of the class of 1833.

S. P. Gardner, president of the First National bank of Haverhill, Mass., has been elected president of the Haverhill, Georgetown and Danvers, and the Georgetown, Rowley and Ipswich street railway companies, to succeed the late Charles E. Barnes.

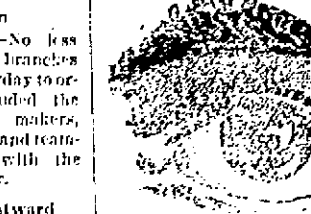
At the annual meeting of the New England Halmann association at Boston the treasurer reported in balance on hand of \$2572. Edmund A. Whitman was elected president.

Around the banquet board the Massachusetts Press association held its annual session at Boston. Alexander Starbuck of Waltham was chosen president.

The brush fibre factory of E. B. and A. C. Whiting at Burlington, Vt., was burned, and the loss will reach \$20,000. A working force of 50 men is deprived of employment.

At the annual meeting of the Portland, Me., board of trade Charles W. T. Gooding was elected president in succession to Frederick E. Boothby, who was made chairman of the board of directors.

The Malden, Mass., school board organized by the choice of Rev. Frederick Edwards, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, as chairman. At previous meetings numerous ballots were taken for chairman without result.



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SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 1902.

## NOTES.

### THE COOKES OF RHODE ISLAND DESCENDANTS OF WALTER COOKE OF WYOMOUTH, MASS. 1613-1870.

BY H. RUTH COOKE.

Mervy or Mervel Cooke (332) and Ebenezer Richardson of Charlestown, Mass. Their children were:

854. Lorenzo Dow Richardson, m. Louisa Hannah of East Hartford, Conn., and had children: Charles Richardson and Harriet Burnham Richardson, b. Feb. 12, 1811. Harriet d. Oct. 6, 1881, and m. Sept. 17, 1807, Aaron Cooke of Manchester, Ct., b. there Sept. 12, 1812; living in 1901; was sergeant of 25th, C. V. in War of 1801, was in battle of Irish Bend, Vermillion Bayou, Port Hudson and Donelsonville, Tenn., son of Aaron Cooke, b. Ashford, Ct., 1803, and d. 1899, in Manchester, Ct. m. Mabel Lyman, (dan. of Benj. and Mary (Willard) Lyman), son of Aaron Cooke, who d. in Ashford, Ct., 1848, m. Elizabeth White, (dan. of Jabez and Elizabeth (Wales) White), son of Aaron Cooke, b. July 8, 1710, m. Charity; son of Meant. Aaron Cooke, who d. in Huntington, Conn., July, 1759, m. Hannah Wadsworth (dan. of Capt. Joseph Wadsworth (who led the charge of Connecticut in the battle of Blenheim) and Elizabeth Harwood, son of William Wadsworth and Elizabeth Stone), son of Capt. Aaron Cooke, who d. at Hartford, Ct., in 1725, and m. Martha Allen, dan. of Hen. John Allen and Hannah Smith (dan. of Henry and Ann Wyckoff), son of William, John, John, Nicholas Wyckoff, sheriff of London in 1802; son of Capt. Aaron Cooke and Sarah (Westwood), son of Major Aaron Cooke, who died in Northampton, Mass., 1780, aged 80, and of his first wife, Agnes Ford.

Thus the second relationship by marriage between Cookes of Walter and Aaron but if blood relations has yet to be known.

Aaron Cooke, the emigrant, married four times, his last wife being Rebecca Foote, widow of Lieut. Philip Smith, and daughter of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Dunham) Foote.

Polly Lodema Foote, of this same Foote family, married No. 440, and her brother-in-law, No. 447, and the granddaughter of Capt. Joseph Cooke of this Aaron Cooke family, as will be given below.

857. Sophronia Richardson, b. 1816; m. Jonathan Wadsworth Hooker; living in 1901 in Hartford, Ct.

858. Manly Grant Richardson, b. 1821 or 1820.

859. Edmund Richardson, b. 1820; lives at Riverside, Cal.

860. Lydia Richardson, died, aged ten years.

861. Darwin Richardson, b. 1830; died aged 40 years.

862. Ellen Jane Richardson, b. Sept. 11, 1833; d. July, 1850.

Mervy Cooke, mother of this family, had a brother, Anthony Cooke, No. 438, of whom all learned is that he married, and among other children he had a son, William Cooke, who married Betsey Setchell, and they had an only child, Mary Cooke Young Stevens, residing in Glastonbury, Conn.

Ann Cooke (438) died Dec. 3, 1827; m. at Rehoboth, Mass., Aug. 10, 1810, Pitt Moulton Bean, as named by his mother, which he changed to William Pitt Bean, to be called William Bean, rather than a Pitt Bean. He lived in Pomfret, or Putnam, Ct., as the town was known by both names, on account of the "Wolf Den" there, celebrated for the bold exploit of Gen. Israel Putnam, who for some years lived in that town, and so to his honor it was called Putnam as often as Pomfret.

Pitt was born Aug. 22, 1782, and d. Oct. 30, 1815, at Putnam, Ct., he son of John Bean (David, John, Daniel, John) Bean.

Pitt and his wife Anne both lived in Putnam, Ct., where their children were born, namely:

863. William Pitt Bean, Jr., b. Jan. 20, 1811.

864. James Bean, b. Aug. 9, 1812; d. Aug. 11, 1812.

865. Horace Nelson Bean, b. Sept. 3, 1818; d. Nov. 28, 1878, at Fall River, Mass.; m. Mary Harris Sweet.

866. Rebecca Cooke Bean, b. Jan. 6, 1813; named for that unknown Rebecca Cooke, before mentioned; m. Israel T. Randolph, and died in Jersey City, N. J., Mar. 17, 1880.

867. John White Bean (named for his mother, Elder John White). He changed his name to John William Bean, because continually called White Bean, which was more than he could endure. He lived in Thomaston, Ga., married there, and had issue.

868. Constant Cooke Bean, b. Dec. 2, 1819; died Dec. 21, 1892, at Seaside, R. I.; m. and had issue.

869. Sarah Howard Bean, b. Sept. 23, 1821; d. Dec. 25, 1892; buried in Putnam, Ct.; m. as his second wife, May 2, 1848, Larned Blackman, with two children, he son of George and Mary (Wadsworth) Blackman, son of George and Mary (Wadsworth) Blackman, Larned b. May 2, 1812, who m. (3) Amey Ann Brown, who died of consumption, leaving children Mary Abby Blackman and George Dexter Blackman.

870. Elizabeth Wilkinson Bean, b. Aug. 31, 1823, m. Samuel Ansell of Kinesbury, Me.; had issue; went to California.

871. Smith Wilkinson Bean, b. Aug. 31, 1833, d. Sept. 12, 1883.

872. Smith Wilkinson Bean, b. Nov. 27, 1835; was legally adopted when 3 years old, at death of his mother, by William Rufus May, who changed the child's name to William Rufus May, Jr., and made him his son and heir; he died June 27, 1886.

873. Anne Bean, b. Dec. 3, 1827; and her mother died 12 hours after her

birth. Anne married James Alton, and died Mar. 23, 1872.

The Bean grandfather of this family was John Bean, b. Aug. 20, 1748, in Brentwood, N. H., six years after that town was incorporated, which town was the next town to Poplin, N. H., and thus those who lived near the boundary line are given sometimes as in one town and again as in the other.

This John Bean married (1) Lettice Allen or Allen, dan. of John Allen of Peterborough, N. H., b. Nov. 22, by David Hero, VI., Sept. 1821 or 22, by David London, Justice, Martha Dennis, widow of Thomas Pearson, her first husband, who died Apr. 17, 1795, in South Hero, Vt.

John Bean died Sept. 18, 1825 or 26; the next May, his widow, Martha, married Benjamin Johnson, at Milton, Vt., at house of Jonathan Blake. This last husband died, and his widow tried to continue her pension for John Bean's Revolutionary service, but failed, as her son gave the affidavit testimony, which is on record in the Pension office at Washington, D. C.

The father of the Bean grandfather was David Bean (John, Daniel) John.

David Bean was born in Kingston, N. H., and m. Mar. 28, 1738, Mary Judkins, who was 10th of the first person of that name who married into the Bean family; as Mary Bean (John) and June 23, 1871, Joel Judkins, and had John, Sarah, Hannah and Mary, and probably married Ebenezer Webster, great grandfather of Daniel Webster, whose father was Ebenezer (see p. 78, Proceedings of John Bean Association).

After David Bean married, he went to Eppling, N. H., and built the first house in the town, which burned to the ground when he gave the house warming. He then went to Raynham, where he put up a two story house, which was still standing in 1887. This he sold to his brother, and went to Sandwich, N. H., the children, born in what is now Brentwood, New Hampshire, were:

I. Moody Bean, bap. Feb. 20, 1737, d. y.

II. Josiah Bean, bap. Dec. 30, 1739.

III. Margaret Bean, bap. Mar. 1, 1740.

IV. David Bean, bap. July 22, 1744.

V. Anna Bean, bap. July 27, 1746.

VI. Samuel Bean, bap. July 27, 1746.

Above twins.

VII. John Bean, born Aug. 29, 1748; d. Feb. 21, 1810; m. Lettice Allen or Allen, aforesaid.

VIII. Moody Bean, bap. June 28, 1750.

IX. Sarah Bean, bap. June 21, 1752.

X. Child Bean, born and died.

XI. Benjamin Bean, born June 1, 1759.

The Bean grandfather was John Bean (VII), born Aug. 29, 1748, in Brentwood, N. H., m. Lettice Allen or Allen, his children were:

(XXI.) John Bean, b. Nov. 21, 1785; d. Jan. 14, 1760.

(XIV.) William Bean, b. Aug. 4, 1770.

(XV.) Lettice Bean, b. Sept. 11, 1772; d. y.

(XVI.) Mary or Polly Bean, b. Sept. 5, 1776.

(XVII.) John Bean, b. Sept. 17, 1774.

(XVIII.) Lettice Allen Bean, b. July 14, 1778.

(XIX.) James Allen Bean, b. July 14, 1778.

Above twins.

(XX.) Hannah Bean, b. Aug. 24, 1780.

(XXI.) Pitt Moulton Bean, b. Aug. 22, 1782; changed his name to William Pitt Bean; m. Anne Cooke aforesaid.

(XXII.) Samuel Bean, b. Apr. 4, 1785; d. y.

(XXIII.) Nellie McLinton Bean, b. Aug. 29, 1789.

(XXIV.) Sally Bean, b. Jan. 3, 1791.

(XXV.) Samuel Bean, b. Jan. 8, 1794; d. Feb. 13, 1802. All mums and uncles to children of Anne (Cooke) Bean, aforesaid.

John Bean, the emigrant, was in Exeter, N. H., in 1680, taxpayer there in April, 1680; lost his wife on the voyage over (she coming with him, leaving a daughter Mary, and probably a son, Henry, who died young).

John Bean married (2) Margaret, and had eight children, who lived to grow up, beside one who died young (or two, if Henry was the son of the second wife, as there is no doubt of the existence of Henry Bean, the doubt being whose son he was, if of the first or second wife).

John Bean killed at Rumford, on road to Millville, by Indians, Aug. 1746, with Peter Larkin and others. A monument marks the site of the massacre on outskirts of city of Concord (see p. 207, Hist. of N. H. by McClintock). Of the children of John Bean, was James Bean, b. in Exeter, N. H., Dec. 17, 1672; m. twice, and by his second wife, Sarah Bradley, had Jeremiah Bean, born in Kingston, Apr. 9, 1707, who married Nov. 13, 1723, Sarah Blake, dan. of Philemon and Sarah (Dennoen) Blake, of Hampton. Jeremiah lived until late in life, in Brentwood, when he purchased a large tract of land, part in Canada, N. H., and part in Newfield, N. H., upon which he settled several sons, including Jonathan, b. Sept. 10, 1738, who married Mary Leavitt and had Phineas Bean; who married Hannah Clifford, and had Benjamin Wadleigh Bean, b. in Canada, N. H., Mar. 31, 1804, moved to Montville, Me., in 1808, and married Jan. 1, 1825, Lucretia Foster, and had Elizabeth Rollins Bean, who, Dec. 10, 1850, married Josiah Hayden Drummond; and also had Anselme M. Bean, who m. Dec. 25, 1859, Everett Rich and Drummond, sons of Clark and Cynthia (Blackwell) Drummond, and thus the interest of John M. Drummond has to be President of the John Bean Association, and contributor of so much Bean genealogy, from which most of this data has been taken.

The name Bean was first Bane or Bann, with Mac, as MacBane, whose record is thus, as found in encyclopedia Britannica, vol. 21, p. 451.

About the year 1092 Malcolm III was King of Scotland. He was slain in battle in 1093, in an ambush near Alnwick, by men of Bamfourn, and Malcolm's son was taken prisoner.

His wife was Margaret, an extremely pious woman, who did much for the Celtic Church, her chief charge being, with the aid of monks, the observation of Lent, the reception of the eucharist at Easter, which had fallen into neglect, the prohibition of labor on the Sabbath day, and the erection of host-tries for pilgrims.

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praying. Now that Malcolm III (Canmore) and his wife were both dead, the Scots declared his brother, Donald Bain or Bane, king, so named because he was the "fair one", and the Celts supported him.

Donald reigned three years, when he was dethroned, and an account says had his eyes put out, and cast into prison, lay in a dungeon many years.

At last he escaped to the highland of Badenoch, and there founded a family, or Clan Bean, as it was called.

After Donald Bain died, and his son was chief, the clan was called Mac Bean.

In those times the clan became quite large, but not enough so to battle with much larger clans, so several clans, at Badenoch and Lacharbar, united under one banner, and formed one powerful clan, called Clan Chattan, which name means the wild mountain cat.

This Clan Chattan included the Mac Intosh, Mac Pherson, Shaw, Grant, Mac Bean and others, and their banner bore the figure of a wild cat, with the motto, "Touch not the cat without a glove."

Each Clan Chattan family had a wild cat for a crest, on their arms, distinguished by their cats being of different colors and in different positions, to discern one family from another.

As the Mac Intoshes were the largest family of this clan, they were chiefs and planned the battles.

The Mac Bean coat-of-arms, in the language of heraldry is as follows: Shield quartered, or lion rampant, gules, dexter hand, armoured, gules, dagger ppr in pale, gules; salts unfurled, sable.

Crest, demi cat, gules; ludge of distinction red worldberry.

In language of the writer, the Bean arms is a red lion, in a gold field, which shows a red blood; second, a red right hand, wide open, showing the palm in a silver field, which shows partners and owners in friendship, with the claws to which they were united; third, a steel colored dagger in a hand of red, on a silver field, which means death to enemies; fourth, a black gally, used by all the members of the Clan Chattan. The whole shield surrounded by a black border.

The Bean Cat was seated, red in color, with her front paws raised, with tail erect, and her full face looking at you.

As time went on, the Mac Beans became tired of so much fighting, and being Protestants, were persecuted by the Catholics who were in power; so they, with many others, went to the North of Ireland, and there formed a colony, and dropped the Mac, and became plain Bean, with no touch of royalty. Thus the ancestry and heredity of the American Beans.

In 1660, as can be ascertained, one John Bean left this North of Ireland Bean family, and came to America, to Exeter, N. H., with his wife, who soon died, and he married Margaret, and had a son Daniel Bean, who married Mary, and their son John Bean married Martha Sinkler, and had David Bean, who m. Mary Judkins, and had John Bean, who m. Lettice Allen and became parents to Pitt Moulton Bean, aforesaid, whose step-mother was Martha (Dennoen) Pearson, whom his father married as his second wife.

(To be continued.)

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BY VIRTUE of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed, made by Thomas B. Donovan, of the Town of Tiverton, in the County of Newport and State of Rhode Island, to Daniel F. Tickner, Jr., of the City of Fall River, in the County of Bristol, and State of Massachusetts, bearing date August 25th, A. D. 1889, and recorded in the County of Bristol, in the Book No. 22, pages 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82 and 83, which said mortgage has since been duly assigned to James H. Bailey, of said City of Fall River, there having been default in the performance of the condition contained in said mortgage.

There will be sold at public auction on WEDNESDAY, February 27th, A. D. 1902, at 12 o'clock noon, on the premises of Daniel F. Tickner, Jr., of the City and County of Newport, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Lot No. 1, 2 and 3 in Section K, in Bellevue Heights, Northernly, by proposed Hooper street, Easternly, by land of the Old Colony Railroad Company, Southernly, by lot 6, 7 and 8 of said Section K, and Westernly, by the said water or Mount Hope Bay.

Lot No. 1, Northernly, by Hooper street, Easternly, by lot No. 2, ten rods; Southernly, by lot No. 3, ten rods; Westernly, by lot No. 4, ten rods, and all the same premises conveyed by deed, bearing date November 10, 1881, by Augustus Chase, and recorded in Land Records of Tiverton, Vol. 25, page 112.

Lot No. 2, Northernly, by Hooper street, Easternly, by lot No. 2, ten rods; Southernly, by lot No. 3, ten rods; Westernly, by lot No. 4, ten rods, and all the same premises conveyed by deed, bearing date November 10, 1881, by Augustus Chase, and recorded in Land Records of Tiverton, Vol. 25, page 112.

Lot No. 3, Northernly, by Hooper street, Easternly, by lot No. 2, ten rods; Southernly, by lot No. 3, ten rods; Westernly, by lot No. 4, ten rods, and all the same premises conveyed by deed, bearing date November 10, 1881, by Augustus Chase, and recorded in Land Records of Tiverton, Vol. 25, page 112.

Also the following named parcels of land situated in Tiverton aforesaid: First Parcel—Bounded Westernly, by the Old Colony Railroad; Northernly, by Canoness street; Easternly, by land now or formerly of Augustus Chase, and Southernly, by Hooper street, and comprising about two and one quarter (2 1/4) acres of land, more or less, said parcel comprising lots Nos. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, in Section E, on the original plan of Bellevue Heights, from which conveyances are made, but the last four lots, being Nos. 25, 26, 27 and 28, in the copy of said plan now on file in the Town Clerk's office in Tiverton, A. D.

Second Parcel—Bounded Northernly, by land formerly of William Donovan, late of Fall River, deceased; Easternly, by the Old Colony Railroad Company, Southernly, by land of Daniel F. Tickner, Jr., and Westernly, by Mount Hope Bay, comprising one hundred and two and one half (121 1/2) square rods, more or less, and being lots Nos. 4, 5 and 6 in Section K, on said plan of land, and being the same land conveyed to said William H. Donovan by Mary A. Brown, guardian of Charles W. Donovan, by deed dated May 4, 1888.

Third Parcel—Being lots numbered 18, 19, 20 and 21 in Section E, on said plan, and being the same premises conveyed to said William H. Donovan by George S. Durfee, by deed dated May 8, 1888, and being all the same premises described in said mortgage.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his intention to bid at said sale.

JAMES BAILEY, Assignee of Mortgage.

Newport, Jan. 11, 1902-11-11-11

The more we study the more we discover our ignorance.

## BOSTON STORE ANNUAL Clearing Up Sale

In continuation of our Annual Sale let be point to these items just placed on our counter at new and revised prices. We still have a great deal to do yet before we get all stocks on a proper basis for stock-taking, and the magical influence of low prices will be used with its never-failing result. As we previously said "many a time and oft" these are small lots, comparatively speaking and are not expected to last very long after they are put on sale.

### SILKS.

Colored Brander Silks, with Cotton back, excellent for skirts or linings, regular price 50c sale price per yard..... 12 1-2c  
Colored Silks in a variety of colors, kinds and styles, altogether ten millions to mention, regular price \$1.00 to \$1.25; sale price per yard..... 50c  
Black Tulle Silks, 20 inches wide, regular \$1.00 quality; sale price per yard..... 60c  
Black Silk Crepe, plain from France, regular price \$1.00; sale price per yard..... 50c  
Black Beau de Sole, heavy, mellow, soft. The queen of silk fabrics for durability and beauty, regular price \$1.35; sale price per yard..... 98c

### DRESS GOODS.

Navy Blue and Black Cheviot Setes, with half blue stripes, 45 inches wide, regular price \$1.00; reduced to per yard..... 68c  
Black Hemitte, 44 inches wide, all pure wool, regular price 50c; sale price per yard..... 39c  
All Wool Frieze in black only, 42 inches wide, regular price 25c; sale price per yard..... 19c  
Extra Heavy All Wool Stuffing, principally grey with plaid back, regular price \$1.00; sale price per yard..... 30c  
18 pieces Colored Dress Goods, plaid colors, also Plaid, Checks and Stripes, regular price 50c to 60c; sale price per yard..... 25c

We have made up a lot of Colored Dress Goods, consisting of odd pieces and remaining lengths. The variety is so great that it would be impossible to describe them here. The prices run from \$1.00 to \$1.50, and to make a speedy clearance of these odd pieces they are marked per yard..... 58c

### LINENS.

Percale for Lining, 36 inches wide, brown to various shades only, regular price 15c; sale price per yard..... 3c  
Black Satin, Mercerized Finish, 32 inches wide, excellent for either lining or for making skirts, regular price 20c; sale price per yard..... 6c  
30-inch Black Percale, warranted fast color, regular price 15c; sale price per yard..... 7c  
Motte Percale, black foundation with colored Round stripes, regular price 25c; sale price per yard..... 9c

### GLOVES.

Ladies' two-clasp English Plaid Dogskin Walking Gloves, in a good variety of desirable shades, regular price \$1.00; sale price per pair..... 69c

### CORSETS.

Langdon & Hatchell's "True Fit" Ladies' Corsets, straight front, fancy Dresden effect, sizes 18 to 28; sale price per pair..... 25c

### Mortgagee's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed made by John Tucker, Jr., of the City and County of Newport, and State of Rhode Island, to Daniel F. Tickner, Jr., of the City, County and State of New York, bearing date May 10th, A. D. 1887, and recorded in Land Records of the said City of Newport, in the Book No. 12, pages 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 2